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(C) The Dutch support the recommendation from Supreme Allied Commander - Europe to amend the Counternarcotics Annex of the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF) Operations Plan to authorize ISAF forces to interdict narcotics production and trafficking facilities. Pol-Mil Officer delivered reftel points on September 11 to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs Coordinator for Task Force Uruzgan and on September 12 to the Ministry of Defense (MOD) Senior Policy Advisor and J5. All offices were already aware of the proposal and stated that the Dutch representatives at NATO were prepared to support it.  
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